

### Implementation of United Nations Security Council Resolution 1718 (UNSCR 1718)

On November 13, 2006, in compliance with United Nations Security Council Resolution (UNSCR) 1718, the United States submitted a report to the UNSC detailing U.S. progress in implementing UNSCR 1718. Among other things, UNSCR 1718 requires UN Member States to prevent the transfer to the Democratic People's Republic of Korea (North Korea) of luxury goods, arms and related materiel, and items that could contribute to North Korea's nuclear, ballistic missile, and other weapons of mass destruction-related programs. UNSCR 1718 also calls upon Member States to prevent transfers to North Korea of technical training, advice, services or assistance related to the provision, manufacture, maintenance or use of the items specified above.

On November 20, 2006, the Department of State released this report to the public. The report can be found at <http://www.state.gov/t/isn/76138.htm>.

The Bureau of Industry and Security (BIS) will publish a rule in the *Federal Register* amending the Export Administration Regulations (EAR) to implement certain of the requirements of UNSCR 1718. Notice of the publication will be posted on this site.